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## LOUISVILLE MAN PLEADS GUILTY TO DEALING IN FIREARMS WITHOUT A LICENSE

David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, and Paul Vido, Special Agent in Charge of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), Louisville Field Division, jointly announced today that **ALEXANDER JACKSON YOUNG**, age 26, of 145 Laurie Vallee, Louisville, Kentucky, in Jefferson County, **pled guilty** to a single count felony Information charging him with violating federal firearm laws.

**Young** faces maximum potential penalties of 5 years' imprisonment, a \$250,000.00 fine, and a 3-year term of supervised release.

According to the written Plea Agreement filed in open court, **Young** admitted that from in or about and between 2002 and 2004, he engaged in the business of dealing in firearms in Jefferson County and other places in Kentucky. He did so without having first obtained a license to deal in firearms. Young never required the people to whom he sold firearms to complete the required federal forms for the transfer of firearms or requested criminal history checks on those persons.

During the time period referenced above, **Young** purchased 12 firearms, including the following:

<u>Manufacturer</u>	<u>Model</u>	<u>Caliber</u>	Serial Number
Davis	P-32	.32 pistol	P165571
Bryco	38	.32 pistol	003645
Hi Point	CR380	380 pistol	P781483
H&K	USP	9mm pistol	24-14560
Hi Point	CBP	9mm pistol	P186807
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Cobray	PM-11	9mm pistol	94-0026161
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Hi Point	CBP	9mm pistol	P186802
Unknown	Unknown	.22/.410 comb. rifle	Unknown
Ruger	Unknown	.22 pistol	Unknown
Unknown	M-1 carbine	rifle	Unknown

**Young** subsequently sold all of the firearms for a profit. Most often, he sold the firearms within a very short period of the initial acquisition.

Assistant United States Attorney Jo E. Lawless is prosecuting the case. The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives conducted the investigation, with assistance from the Kentucky State Police.

The plea was entered before United States District Judge Jennifer B. Coffman, in Louisville, Kentucky. Young is scheduled to be sentenced before Judge Coffman on June 18, 2007, at 2:30 p.m., in Louisville, Kentucky.

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